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Report from Habana—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Sanitary conditions throughout the island satisfactory—Stegomyia calopus present—House inspection.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Amesse reports, September 29:

Week ended September 26.

Vessels inspected.....	11
Bills of health issued.....	15
Members of crews of outgoing vessels inspected.....	726
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected.....	304
Persons entering Tricornia for observation prior to sailing.....	34
Certificates of immunity to yellow fever issued.....	29
Vessels fumigated prior to sailing.....	4

Malaria is widespread in eastern Cuba.

Stegomyia calopus are increasing somewhat in Habana. For the week ended September 19 there were detected in the inspection of 10,000 premises, 45 deposits of mosquito larvæ, 24 of which were those of *Stegomyia calopus*. During the week ended September 26 10,952 houses were inspected and 60 breeding places of mosquitoes were discovered, of which 41 contained larvæ of *Stegomyia*.

Report from Santiago—Inspection and fumigation of vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Infante reports, September 22:

Week ended September 19.

Bills of health issued to 7 vessels bound for the United States. Two vessels were fumigated before departure, to kill mosquitoes.

No quarantinable disease was reported during this week.

ECUADOR.

Reports from Guayaquil—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Plague, smallpox, and yellow fever.

Assistant Surgeon Wightman reports, September 6 and 13, through Passed Assistant Surgeon Lloyd:

During the week ended August 22 one steamship was fumigated, with a personnel of 96 in the crew and with 33 cabin and 17 steerage passengers.

During the same week 1 death from yellow fever was recorded for the city of Guayaquil, and 8 deaths from smallpox. There has been no death reported as due to plague for three weeks.

Week ended August 29. Two vessels, with an aggregate personnel of 116 in crews and 54 cabin and 46 steerage passengers, received bills of health from this office. One of these vessels was fumigated.

For the same week 1 death from smallpox and 1 from plague were reported for Guayaquil.

GUATEMALA.

Report from Puerto Barrios, fruit port.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wailes reports:

Week ended September 24. Present officially estimated population, 250. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Sept. 20	Jose	New York	27	0	0	0
20	Corinto	New Orleans	27	0	0	0
24	Ellis	do	4	0	0	0

HAWAII.

Report from Honolulu—Examination of rats for plague infection.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Currie reports, September 12, through Chief Quarantine Officer Cofer:

Week ended September 12.

Rats trapped in Honolulu.....	646
Rats found dead in Honolulu.....	0
Rats shot from trees in Honolulu.....	303
Rats taken in Honolulu.....	949
Rats examined bacteriologically.....	770
Rats from Honolulu showing plague infection.....	0

CLASSIFICATION OF RATS TAKEN.

Mus rattus.....	220
Mus norvegicus	38
Mus alexandrinus.....	240
Mus musculus.....	389
Total classified.....	887
Average number of traps set daily.....	1,438

HONDURAS.

Report from Ceiba, fruit port—Anopheles and Stegomyia calopus numerous.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Jumel reports:

Week ended September 22. Present officially estimated population, 6,500. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Anopheles, Culex, and Stegomyia are numerous.

Bills of health issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Sept. 18	Helen ^a	21	^b 12	0	0
19	Joseph Vacarro.....	34	18	0	0
20	Colombia.....	19	1	0	0
21	John Wilson.....	17	0	0	0

^a Not certified.

^b In transit to Puerto Cortez; not certified.